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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
UNDER 37 CFR §1.97(i)**

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56 and §§1.97-1.98, and more particularly in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(i), Applicant hereby cites the following reference(s):

| U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS |         |                 |
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| DOCUMENT NO.          | DATE    | NAME            |
| 5,408,411             | 04-1995 | Nakamura et al. |

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| DOCUMENT NO.             | DATE    | COUNTRY |
| JP5133762 A              | 05-1993 | Japan   |
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| OTHER ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS   |
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| Japanese Patent Office Action, dated March 23, 2010, regarding JP 2005-084637, with English translation |

Applicant is enclosing Form PTO-1449 (one sheet), along with a copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 CFR §1.98(a)(2). Applicant respectfully requests that the citation(s) be placed into the file wrapper of the application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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